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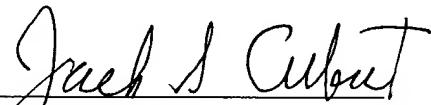
The Examiner has required a complete listing of all the claims with the text of all claims including withdrawn claims. In particular, the Examiner has indicated that there is no text for Claims 1 through 24.

It is noted that Claims 1 through 24 were cancelled in the Amendment filed August 12, 2002 which Amendment was entered as clearly indicated in the Office Action mailed October 8, 2002. These claims never had the status of withdrawn claims.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, canceled and not entered claims must be indicated by only the claim number and status , without presenting the text of the claims. Accordingly, a corrected "IN THE CLAIMS" section of the Amendment filed August 12, 2002 is submitted that now indicates Claims 1 through 24 were cancelled.

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